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## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev C G Pugh, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p m. Sunday School at 8:30; Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30 p m.

### METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev B F Atkinson Pastor; Services on the First and Third Sundays in each month 11 a m and 8 p m.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev R E C Lawson, Pastor, Services every Sunday at 11 a m and 8 p m; Prayer Meeting every Thursday night.

### CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Rev F F Hennesy, Pastor; Services every Sunday at 8 and 10 o'clock a m Services at St. Rose same hours.

## FRATERNAL ORDERS.

Masonic Lodge.--Springfield lodge No. 50 meets second Monday in each month.

Washington R O Chapter, No. 27, meets every third Monday.

Springfield Council No. 52, meets every fourth Monday.

Knights of Honor.--Meets every second and fourth Monday in each month.

Knights of the Maccabees.--Meets every first Wednesday of each month.

## COUNTY DIRECTORY

### CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit Court begins on the fourth Monday in February, May and October.

C E Patterson, Judge.
W B Sweeney, Commonwealth Attorney
F M Campbell, Clerk.
T W Simms, Master Commissioner.

### QUARTERLY COURT.

Quarterly Court is held on the third Monday in January, April, July and October.

Jack W Thompson, Judge.

### COUNTY COURT.

County Court meets on the fourth Monday in each month.

Jack W Thompson, Judge
W F Booker, County Clerk.
I H Thurman, County Attorney.
J R Smith, Jailer
J T Craycroft, Sheriff
W R Thurman, H B Powell, Ed Masters, } Deputies
James F Moore, County Surveyor.
W D Sharp, Assessor.
R A Noe, Deputy.
A R Campbell, County Treasurer.

### SPRINGFIELD DIRECTORY

J T C Noe, Police Judge.
John Grace, Marshal.
W O Reed City Attorney.

### JUSTICE COURT.

Justice courts are held in January, April July and October.

### Personal.

Free—64-page medical reference book to any person afflicted with any special, chronic or delicate disease peculiar to their sex. Address the leading physicians and surgeons of the United States Dr. Hathaway & Co., 70 Dearborn street Chicago.

FIFTY DOLLARS A WEEK EASILY MADE. Agents wanted in every locality for Hon. W. J. Bryan's great and only book, "The First Battle." The best seller ever produced. Agents are taking as many as 200 orders per week. Beware of fraudulent imitations. Send for outfit and begin work at once. W. B. CONKEY COMPANY, Publishers, 341 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

Working Woman's Home Association.
91 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill.
January 11, 1896.

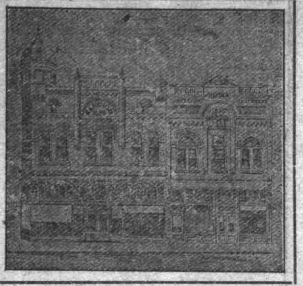
Our Working Woman's Home Association used Foley's Honey and Tar six years ago, and are using it today. It has always been a favorite, for while its instant not at all unpleasant its effect is very beneficial. It has never yet disappointed us. Wishing you all possible success, sincerely yours,

Laura G. Fixon, Bus Mgr.

## THE LEADING STORE.

McChord & Robertson IS THE RIGHT PLACE To buy Your Fall and Winter Goods.

Don't Miss the Place.



McChord & Robertson HAVE THE Largest Stocks, Correct Styles, High Quality and LEAD in LOW PRICES.

LOOK US UP.

We were fortunate enough to place our order for stock of Jackets and Capes early in the season, before any advance in woolen stuff. we bought larger than ever before, and besides showing you the latest materials, shades and shapes, we can name you prices that will please you.

Capes $1.50 to $20.

Jackets $2.00 to $18.00.

### CLOAK DEPARTMENT

### Ladies' Ready-made Dress Skirts.

From $1.25 to $7.50. We can save you 15 to 20 per cent on them, never such a stock shown before.

We show above a cut of our new store so that you may not miss the place to see the largest stock of merchandise shown by any other one firm in Central Kentucky. We keep first-class goods, we buy them right and will give the people the benefit of the LOW PRICES, at which we have secured our entire stock.

### NO TARIFF CHARGED HERE

We purchased a larger stock than ever, and before any tariff was put on wool, and we propose to give the trade the same. Don't buy anything in the Clothing line until you take a look at our stock of High Art Perfect Fitting Suits and Overcoats.

No Trouble to Show Goods Here.

### Dress Goods, Silks and Velvets.

In all the leading shades, fancy plaids in all grades. Broadcloths in the newest shades from the cheapest to the best. All-wool Ladies' cloth in variety of colors 52 inches wide for 50 cents per yard. This cloth is well worth 75c. Our stock of silks is complete. All-wool Novelty Dress goods 24 cents to $1 50 a yard.

Braids and Fur are a good thing this season, for trimming, and we can show you a large line of them.

**Ladies Furnishing Depot** is full up with all the latest and best things to be had, such as Hosiery, Neckwear, Collars and Cuffs, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Feather Boas, Knit Skirts, Underwear, Union Suits, Separate Undervests and Pants at lowest prices on record.

FLEXIBONE MOULDED.

### CORSETS.

DON'T FORGET Our Corset Departm'nt We handle the leading makes, such as....

P. C. C., W. B., R. and G., S. C., and the Celebrated "FLEXIBONE."

Prices 49c, 75c, 98c $1.50, $3

**REMEMBER** That WE are HEADQUARTERS for Carpets, Rugs, Wall Paper, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Window Shades and Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles, Etc.

### Largest and Best Equipped Shoe

Department of any town in the State. We handle shoes from the cheapest to the finest makes that can be bought are found here.

Ladies Shoes. Button or Lace, light or heavy, all shapes from $1 00 to $4 00 pair. Men's shoes Lace or Congress, heavy or light weight, any style toe from $1.00 to $5 00 pair.

FOR STYLISH LADIES SHOES, be sure you get Ziegler's. If you want the latest and best wearing shoe buy Thos Emerson's shoes—all lasts and toes. We also handle other good makes such as Smith & Stoughton, The Bay State Shoe and Leather Company, The Forwood Manufacturing Company, Buell s, Etc. Take a look at our Bootee, made by Buell & Son, shown in accompanying cut; this is something new and has been pronounced by all who have seen it to be a good thing. Try a pair, and we will guarantee that you will be pleased and that you will have no other but the Bootee.

### DOMESTICS.

For next week we will sell all Domestics at Special Low Prices. Be sure and take advantage of prices.

Hoosier Brown Cotton yard wide, 4 1 2 cents a yard.
Heavy Brown Cotton, yard wide, same weight as Great Western, 5 cents a yard.
Apron Ginghams, 4 cents and 5 cents a yard.
Calicos 4 cents.
Bleached yard wide Cotton, 5, 6 and 7 1-2 cents.
Sheeting, 9 1-4 and 10 1-4, from 15 to 18c.
Shirtings at low prices.

### Blankets and Comforts at Low Prices.

### GENT'S FURNISHINGS.

We have one special department devoted exclusively to Men's wear, where you can always find the best things to be had and at the lowest prices. We have in an entire line of new Neckwear, Hats, Gloves, Umbrellas, Handkerchiefs. Our aim will be to keep everything in this department strictly up-to-date.

You are Invited to Come in

and we will take pleasure in showing you what we have and name you lowest prices on anything you may want in our line. If you don't buy now you may later on............

SEE The nice presents we are giving away to....

...CASH PURCHASERS...

## McCHORD & ROBERTSON,

COR. WALL AND MAIN STREET, SPRINGFIELD, KY.

## WILLISBURG.

After the little rain that we had which laid the dust for two or three days, the air was cooled and refreshed and enjoyed so much after the long hot spell, and it seemed to enfuse fresh courage into the farmer as they are this week busily engaged in seeding, they have an abiding faith in Him who gives us our seasons, yet a few say that they will not sow until they see the rain, O. ye of little faith. Water is very scarce in this locality and it takes a great deal of our time to take stock to water and provide for household purposes.

There are several cases of typhoid fever in the country, especially in the neighborhood of Polin, and there has been some cases of diptheria, some proving fatal.

The people of Willisburg are digging a public well, they see the necessity of it now.

Mrs. Geo. Yocum is quite sick at this writing.

S. B. Noel, Dr. W. W. Hyatt and R. D. Riley are attending grand lodge in Louisville.

G. B. Hawkins, of Lawrenceburg, was over to see friends last week.

E. D. Burton has matriculated in Ky. School of Medicine.

The teachers association at this place last Saturday was a failure.

The candidate is among us with his genial smile and hand shaking and he feels so much interested in us poor fellows, and they are good fellows to all of them. Some of them give of their means to the needy (the floater) and this wily citizen is laying for them, it is his time to get in his work and the amount of cheek and audacity of this citizen is great enough to make a mule blush for shame, but that is his profession and he works it nicely. We have now a grand system for voting and we hope some one can get up a better system of electioneering. R.

Don't bolt your food, itt irritates your stomach. Choose digestible food and chew it. Indigestion is a dangerous sickness. Proper care prevents it. Shaker Digestive Cordial cures it. That is the long and short of indigestion. Now, the question is: Have you got indigestion? Yes, if you have pain and discomfort after eating, headache, dizziness, nausea, offensive breath, heartburn langour, weakness, fever, jaundice, flatulence, loss of appetite, irritability, constipation, etc. Yes, you have indigestion. To cure it take Shaker Digestive Cordial. The medicinal herbs and plants of which Shaker Digestive Cordial is composed help to digest the food in your stomach; help to strengthen your stomach. When your stomach is strong care will keep it so. Shaker Digestive Cordial is sale by druggists, price 10c to $1 per bottle.

## MACKVILLE

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Still looking for rain,
But all in vain.

Dr. Cassell and Charlie Camden spent Sunday at Tatham.

W. T. Leachman, of Beechland, was here Sunday shaking hands with his many friends.

Mr. James Cregor and wife and Mr. Wm. Campbell and daughter, Miss Willie, of East Texas, all attended church here Sunday.

The Baptist meeting closed last Friday night with about nine additions to the church.

Rev. W. F. Vaughn delivered an interesting sermon at the M. E. Church last Sunday to a large audience. Rev. Penn filled the pulpit at night.

Miss Nannie Derr who has been seriously ill for several days is reported better at this writing.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein wee concluded to make a first trial or the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent cough remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Haydon & Robertson.

## SHEPARDS RUN.

I take great pleasure in writing you from this place hoping that it may be interesting to some of your numerous readers. We are away out here from the buzz of your busy and thriving town, hear but little politics discussed. It is a one sided thing out here centered on Osborne, O'Bryan, Litsey and Mayes. We feel satisfied that all the other candidates are nice good men, but then those whose names we mention seem so near and dear to us.

Miss Bessie Blanford, a charming young lady of Owensboro, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. Kent Smith, of St. Marys was over last Sunday calling on one of our handsome young ladies.

Mr. Louis Warren, of St. Marys, was here a few days since having a nice time with the young ladies of this place.

Miss Regenia Mahoney's school is getting along nicely with a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Osborne entertained a number of the young people in an elegant manner last Thursday.

Mr. Richard Smith, the huckster, and the writer were lucky to drop in among such a bevy of young girls scarcely seen together, although taken by surprise the good landlady soon placed on the table a magnificent supply of good things. We ask ourselves the question is there is another such a pleasant day awaiting us in the near future, if so we bid a good speed.

Mrs. Fannie O'Bryan is on the sick list.

Mr. Thomas Medley who has been so afflicted with rheumatism for a long time is but little improved.

Mr. Clarence O'Daniel is laying a foundation for a neat cottage. The frame work will begin in a few days.

Smith & Orkies are doing a thriving business at blacksmithing. They are good boys and we wish them well, farmers give them your work. TOBEY.

Those who believe chronic diarrhoea to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhoea. It is pleasant to take and never fails to effect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Haydon & Robertson.

## FARM FOR SALE,

A good farm, containg 129 acres, situated on the Bloomfield pike, two miles from Springfield, for sale cheap. It is well improved and good farming land. For further information call on or address

EDWARD DONELLY,
1m SPRINGFIELD, KY.

Many of your friends, or people whom you know of, have contracted consumption, pneumonia or other fatal diseases by neglect of a simple cold or cough Foley's Honey and Tar, a safe, sure and pleasant cough medicine, would have saved them. It is guaranteed them. Sold by Haydon & Robertson.

Every reader should see what the publishers of Judge are doing in their Prize Puzzle Department. They announce this week that they will divide part of the money received from the purchase of copies of their publication. Two hundred and fifty dollars was distributed in cash in their first offer, and they say that they hope now to distribute in their next offer, several thousand dollars. Ask your newsdealer for this week's Judge, or send 10 cents for a copy to the Judge Publishing Co., 110 Fifth Ave., New York City.

## Losing Flesh

You naturally lose flesh in the summer and running down is so easy. You get a little weaker each day without hardly noticing it. There is loss of appetite, headache, weakness of the muscles, disturbed sleep, weakness of memory, and these are the beginning of nervous prostration. Iron and tonics and bitters may afford some temporary relief, but what you need is a food for body, brain and nerves.

**Scott's Emulsion** of Cod-liver Oil with the Hypophosphites, furnishes just the nourishment needed for those who are run down and pale and thin and weak. If you lose flesh in summer take Scott's Emulsion *now*. Don't wait till fall or winter before beginning.

For sale at 50c. and $1.00 by all druggists.

# THE NEWS-LEADER

E. L. DAVISON, JR.

THURSDAY, OCT. 21, 1897.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

### Patteson.

We are authorized to announce Charles Patteson, of Taylor county, a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Eleventh Judicial District, composed of Marion, Washington Taylor and Green counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party, November election 1897.

### Lisle.

Having received and accepted the nomination from the Republican party of this Circuit Court Judicial District for the office of Circuit Court Judge, your support is respectfully solicited.

W. J. LISLE.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

### Morgan.

We are authorized to announce W. H. Morgan as a candidate for County Judge of Washington County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

### Hays.

We are authorized to announce James B. Hays as a candidate for Representative for Washington County in the Lower House of the Kentucky Legislature, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

### T. S. Mayes.

Democratic nominee for the office of County Attorney of Washington county. November election 1897.

THE water works proposition is worthy the calm and careful consideration of every taxpayer of the town. It is a business proposition, and intended as a step toward progress, and we do not think it a scheme or a wild cat game, nor do we yet see any cause for alarm on the part of any taxpayer that he is in any danger of being imposed upon. The only step taken so far is the calling of an election to vote on the issuing of $8,000 in town bonds. The details of this proposition we have laid out in another column of this issue. The idea is for the town authorities to get the consent of the voters to issue these bonds and then go ahead and develop some practical plan whereby a water works and electric light plant may be built. As we have said before, nothing will be done rashly. The promoters of the enterprise are among the heaviest taxpayers of the town, and they certainly should be depended upon to do nothing that will injure property holders, or be a burden on the taxpayers of the town.

Our town has progressed rapidly during the past few years, but the crying need for a water supply for health convenience and safety now stands out and threatens to prove an effectual bar to all future progress. Do we want to stop where we now are and dry up, or shall we move forward and keep pace with other towns and cities? This is the question which the voters will be called upon to decide on November 2d next.

You sometimes meet a man who in response to your request for an advertisement informs you that nobody reads the ads. in a newspaper anyway. That man is right says the Country Publisher. The nobodies do not read the advertisements in a newspaper or anything else for that matter. Neither do babes, dudes nor idiots. But every independent man and woman consults the columns of a newspaper in order to economically satisfy their wants.

Now that there is such a great demand for the product of the farm at unusually good prices the country publisher has in view the prospect of receiving cash for ads and subscriptions instead of farm produce.—Ex

Yes that is what some of us have been subsisting on for these many days.—prospects,

GEORGE M. PULLMAN, the millionaire palace car manufacturer, of Chicago, died at his home there Tuesday of heart disease after but a half hour's illness. His estate is estimated to be worth between $12,000,000 and $30,000,000.

SILVERITES in Bourbon county have dropped the free silver issue and want the help of gold Democrats to elect their county ticket. In addition to this they have nominated the Hon. John T. Hinton, a sound money man, for Representative.

A VOLUME could be written about the dissention among the people of Springfield that is working to the detriment of the town and against the interest of the common good.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky nor other intoxicant but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50c and $1 per bottle at Haydon & Robertson.

## TEXAS.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

Mr. and Mrs D. N. Whayne and daughter, who have been visiting friends and relatives around Texas, have returned to their home in Little Rock, Ark.

H. H Claybrooke is in Louisville this week.

J. R. Claybrooke went to Louisville Monday to consult physicians as to his trouble. He is now at St. Joseph's Infirmary and was to have undergone a surgical operation yesterday.

J. R. Darrett, of Bloomfield, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Carson and Miss Hattie Whayne, daughter of Col. R. E. Whayne, have gone to Kisma, Florida, where they will make their future home.

One Good Dose

of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey on retiring stops a cough, relieves croup, or cures a cold and insures quiet rest and refreshing sleep. It is harmless, babies love it. All mothers who have used it recommend it. Try a 25c bottle from your druggist.

## MOORESVILLE.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

The local showers did but little good, for the people still haul water every day.

Mr. Albert Boblet met with what may prove a serious accident last Saturday evening. He went to Mr. Ham Shehan's for some ice, and as he lifted the ice to the horse's back, the animal kicked jumped and kicked him three times, once striking him over the heart. He was unconscious for about ten hours, but rallied, however, and was able to be moved to his home the next evening. His entire family are more or less sick, and have the sympathy of the neighbors May they all soon recover.

Well, the Republicans came last Thursday night, spoke and departed. Major Lisle, Judge Cotton Noe, Major Wharton, Mr. Morgan and Mr. Woodward. There was quite a large crowd present, and if I am to judge, there was but little applause.

Prosperity has struck us again. Last year potatoes sold at 25 cents per bushel, now they are 60 cents. Last year I raised 80 bushels, this year 30 The difference in the price I think is, that the demand is greater than the supply. Wages are lower now than last year, products are higher; consequently the farmer is benefitted, but the poor laboring man is not.

Mr. Jeff Smith and wife and Mrs. W O. Ellis are visiting in Nelson this week.

Mr. Matt Traux and wife were in Spencer last Sunday.

It Cannot Be Proven

that Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is the best cough and lung remedy on earth unless you will try it. If you do this and don't agree with us, you get your 25c back quick, right where you buy it.

## ··WITH OUR FARMERS··

Notices stock, seed or grain, wanted or for sale or exchange inserted in this column FREE OF CHARGE. Farmers are requested to send in stock or crop items for publication.

The corn crop was damaged 9 and the tobacco crop 16 per cent. by the drouth, according to reports to the State commissioner.

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H. F. Hillenmeyer, the well-known Lexington nurseryman, says the present drought is a blessing in disguise, as it means bursting barns and overflowing granaries in 1898.

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Gay & Bros., of Woodford, sold the representative of the Japanese emperor, the black colt Cupid, by Highland Denmark, for the largest price any 3-year-old ever sold for, and probably the largest price ever paid for a saddle horse. This is the first Kentucky saddler to cross the waters of the Pacific.

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The Farmer's Home Journal says the quickest way to add to the value of many farms would be to build better roads to town and bring them closer to the market. We make money when we add to the value of the farm as well as when we grow profitable crops.

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A rise in the price of beef is reported from the Pacific coast, and in some parts of Texas butchers are, with difficulty, obtaining supplies for their trade at a half-dollar advance, as all sorts of cattle are being held in expectation of a further rise in prices. The tendency is decidedly upward, as no doubt exists as to the shortage in supplies.

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Lloyd Weatherton, this county, sold his farm containing sixty acres to Damian Carrico at one thousand dollars, and Mr. Weatherton bought what is known as the James Carrico place containing somewhere near two hundred acres, for $1,655. F. M. Carrico has bought the Dennis Scannel place containing 100 acres at $9.00 per acre and John Wall has bought the land now occupied by F. M. Carrico being a part of the Frank Wall land, at $21 per acre, and consisting of 387 acres.

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In addition to the $2,500,000 gold which reached San Francisco a few weeks ago from Australia to pay for Pacific coast wheat, another 4,000,000 have been shipped to satisfy additional like purchases. Bradstreet's says that considering the exports of wheat from our Pacific coast to the antipodes, within the present crop year, the estimate commonly entertained in San Francisco that some 25,000,000 of gold will come into the United States in this manner does not seem at all exaggerated.

Shall It Be 16 to 1?

Silver men say yes, gold men say no. But all who have used it whether gold or silver men concede, that Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup is superior to all others as 16 is to 1. Haydon & Robertson.

**Wanted—An Idea** Who can think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

There Have Been Others.

The drouth which we are now experiencing is fearful indeed, but nothing to be compared to the long drouth of 1855, which extended from the Alleghanies almost to the Rocky Mountains, says the Hubble correspondent of the Stanford Commercial. An old friend of my father, Capt. Craig, of Boyle county, remembered the year distinctly He said that he was living with his father, who owned the farm which Dr. Fowler now owns. He told us that not a particle of rain fell from May until November, and the hillside fields of corn never made more than a peck to the shock, but bottom lands were better of course. We asked him if there was not a great deal of suffering. He said no, that, there was a considerable amount of corn left over from the year before, and as people were more generous then than now they would divide up with each other, Said nothing was thought of one neighbor telling another to come over to his place and get a wagon load of corn to make his crop on, and never thought of charging him for it. The old gentleman said if we should have such a failure at this time a farmer who had corn to sell would see how much he could squeeze out of his neighbor. He also told us that Dix river and Hanging Fork stopped running for three months, and that along the latter stream there was a great deal of typhoid fever, two or three members of his own family having died with it; that the following year a fearful panic struck the country, and farming lands depreciated 100 per cent.; that his father's place sold for $55 per acre in the year of the drouth, and the following year the purchaser, not being able to meet the payments, sold it for $25.

# Blood Poison.

Contagious Blood Poison has been appropriately called the curse of mankind. It is the one disease that physicians cannot cure; their mercurial and potash remedies only bottle up the poison in the system, to surely break forth in a more virulent form, resulting in a total wreck of the system.

Mr. Frank B. Martin, a prominent jeweler at 926 Pensylvania Ave., Washington, D.C., says: I was for a long time under treatment of two of the best physicians of this city, for a severe case of blood poison, but my condition grew worse all the while, notwithstanding the fact that they charged me three hundred dollars. My mouth was filled with eating sores; my tongue was almost eaten away, so that for three mouths I was unable to taste any solid food. My hair was coming out rapidly, and I was in a horrible fix. I had tried various treatments, and was nearly discouraged, when a friend recommended S.S.S. After I had taken four bottles, I began to get better, and when I had finished eighteen bottles, I was cured sound and well, my skin was without a blemish, and I have had no return of the disease. S.S.S. saved me from a life of misery." S.S.S. (*guaranteed purely vegetable*) will cure any case of blood poison. Books on the disease and its treatment. mailed free by Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

**SSS**

One of Two Ways.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

**CHIEF CAUSE.**

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb like the bladder, was created for one purpose and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly set your urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention NEWS-LEADER and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co Binghamton N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders and prompt relief will follow. Sold by Haydon & Robertson.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

**PANTS**

**$2.85**

Made to Measure,

All-wool.

Gent's old clothes cleaned dyed and repaired and made to look like new for a LITTLE MONEY.

THE TAILOR,

Main Street, next door to Karrick's Grocery.

SPRINGFIELD, KY.

Chance for Missionaries

"Can an editor be a Christian?" is a query now going the rounds. We have tried the combination and found out negatively. An editor can be a hypocrite, but as for being an upright, straightforward, conscientious Christian—well, not however! It is delinquent subscribers—and a few other deadbeats that knocks the props from under his feet—and brings his gray hairs in sorrow to the poorhouse.—Lancaster, N. Y., Enterprise.

An Important Addition

to the list of the world's most valuable medicines is Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey, harmless in its nature, yet almost infallible in its action, it is undoubtedly the most efficacious means known today of curing coughs, colds and kindred diseases. Good druggists sell it at 25c on a guarantee.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF SPRINGFIELD, KY.

At Springfield, in the State of Ky. at the close of business, October 5, 1897.

NO 1787.

RESOURCES.

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| Loans and Discounts | | $127,647 20 |
| Overdrafts secured and unsecured | | 2,550.87 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | | 37,500.00 |
| Stocks, securities, etc | | 9,410.00 |
| Banking house, Furniture & Fixtures | | 7,000.00 |
| Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents) | | 1,761 74 |
| Due from State Banks & Bankers, | | 856.31 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | | 15,331.23 |
| Notes of other National Banks | | 637 00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents | | 32.86 |
| LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK viz: | | |
| Specie | $10,943 60 | |
| Legal-tender notes | 2,220 00 | |
| | | 13,163.60 |
| Redemption fund with U S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | | 1,687.50 |
| Total | | $217,282. 01 |

LIABILITIES

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| Capital stock paid in | $50,000 00 |
| Surplus Fund | 10,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 5,344.77 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 33,750 00 |
| Due to other National Banks | 820 30 |
| Due to State Banks and Bankers | 973 92 |
| Individual Deposits subject to check | 97,326.98 |
| Time Certificate of Deposit | 6,037.88 |
| Fund to reduce capital stock | 12,958.26 |
| Total | $217,282.01 |

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, ss:

I, A. C. McElroy, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. McELROY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of October, 1897.

J. A. BOULWARE, N. P. W. Co., Ky.

My commission expires Jan. 8, 1898.

CORRECT—Attest:

J. W. KELLEY,
SIDNEY GREEN,
JOHN W. LEWIS. } Directors.

A NEW BOOK, "KNITTING AND CROCHETING," of 61 pages, over 50 original designs illustrated, beautiful lace patterns, shawls, hoods, jackets, etc., has been published by The Home, 141 Milk St., Boston, Mass., and will be sent with a subscription to that paper. The Home is a 20-page monthly filled with original stories, literary and domestic topics and fashions. Its department of Fancy Work is a special feature, new and original designs each issue. The price of subscription is 50 cents per year and will include one of these books. As a special inducement to trial subscribers, a copy of this book will be given with a 6 months' subscription. The price of book is 25 cents, but a 6 months' subscription and the book combined will be sent for 15 cents. Their annual premium list for 1897 will be sent free on application.

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When People Catch Colds

The "cold spots," meaning thereby the surface areas peculiarly susceptible to cold, are principally the nape of the neck and the lower part of the back of the head, the front of the abdomen and the shins. The acute discomfort and the sense of impending disaster which result from the steady play of a current of cold air upon the neck from behind are well known. The necessity of keeping the abdomen warmly clad is also generally recognized, though perhaps not as generally carried into practice. Curiously enough, few people are conscious of the danger they run by exposing the usually inadequately protected shins to currents of cold air. This is the usual way in which colds are caught on omnibuses. When driving, one takes care to cover the legs with a rug or waterproof, but on the more democratic conveyance rugs are not often available, and the reckless passenger by and by awakens to the fact that the iron has entered into his soul—in other words, that he has "caught cold." People who wear stockings, such as highlanders, golfers and cyclists, invariably take the precaution of turning the thick woolen material down over the shins, the better to protect them against loss of heat, though incidentally the artificial embellishment of the calves may not be altogether foreign to the maneuver. This is an instance of how all things work together for good. It does not, of course, follow because certain areas are peculiarly susceptible to cold that a chill may not be conveyed to the nervous system from other points. Prolonged sitting—on a stone, or even on the damp grass, is well known to be a fertile source of disease, and wet, cold feet are also, with reason, credited with paving the way to an early grave.—London Medical Press.

SEEKING A SIGN.

Sweetheart, the moon is drear
That dawns on drearier night without you here.
And day drags slow
To eyes and lips and heart that miss you so.

Sweetheart, beyond the night
That hides your dear lost form from mortal sight
Send me one word
Or sign that my soul's lonely cry is heard.

Sweetheart, not clasping hand
I ask, but I would know and understand
If it may be
One [illegible] spirit looks and longs for me.

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## Drives in Each Department.

### DRESS GOODS.

We have an elegant line of Dress Goods in blacks and colors, plain and novelties, and trimmings of all kinds to match. We have the dress goods trade of the town and hold it by keeping the finest assortment at the LOWES PRICES.

### CLOAKS AND WRAPS.

We are showing the largest line of cloaks ever shown in this town. Our styles and prices are evidently right from the volume of business already done in this department. Can furnish wraps in prices from $1.85 to the most elegant. Don't fail to see our line before buying.

### LADIES' AND GENT'S FURNISHINGS

In Underwear, Gloves, Hosiery, Etc.

Look at our Window Display of 50c Shirts. Other houses ask 75c for same qualities. Ask to see our new line of Neckwear.

### Special Prices in Clothing.

Men's All-wool Clay Worsted Suits, $7 00.
Men's All-wool Cheviot Suits, $6 00.
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Men's Satinet Suits, $2.75 to $4 00.
Men's Beaver Overcoats $4 00
Men's Irish Frieze Storm Overcoats $7 00.
Men's All-wool Kersey Pants $ 55.
Men's Good Jeans Pants 50c
Boys Suits $2.25 up.
Child's Suits 90c up.
Overcoats all sizes and prices.

Don't forget that we are Headquarters for Carpets, Oil Cloths, Wall Paper, Lace Curtains, Shades, Etc.

Our stock of Boots and Shoes of all kinds is complete. Call for Stephen A. Putney & Co.'s line of $1 25 Shoes. Can't be beat.

FREE! We are still giving away those Fine Bronze Clocks and Hat Rack Mirrors and an elegant picture already framed. Come in and see them.

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or you are all worn out, really good for nothing, it is general debility. Try

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.

It will cure you, and give a good appetite. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

The Newspaper.

What is home without a newspaper? A home without a newspaper is no home at all. it is a kind of a dreary den—a rendezvous of bed bugs and fleas, where the inhabitants live in blissful ignorance of what the world is doing.

It is inhabitated by a class who do not know is president—who never find out a thing that has happened until long after every one else has forgotten it. The children grow up in rags and dirt, while wife generally finds consolation in darning socks and lugging a pipe loaded with long, green tobacco, and the man generally lives because he can't die, and he is too lazy to kill himself. He goes out on election days, and does know who he is voting for, but just takes the ticket like a threshing machine takes a sheaf of wheat.—Blairsville Courier

Whiskers that are prematurely gray or faded should be colored to prevent the look of age, and Buckingham's Dye excels all others in coloring or black.

THE E. E. SUTHERLAND MEDICINE COMPANY. PADUCAH, KY. CURES COUGHS. DR. BELL'S PINE TAR HONEY

**Upon Every Bottle**

and wrapper of the genuine Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is printed the above design. It is both trade-mark and guarantee—a warrant that the medicine contained in the bottle will cure coughs, colds and all lung, throat and chest troubles more quickly and effectually than any other remedy.

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The intense itching and smarting incident to these diseases is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25cts. per box.

Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not food but medicine and the best in use to put a horse in prime condition. Price 2[illegible]

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

DR. J. H. LAMPTON.

—OFFICE—

OVER [illegible]

A Household Necessity.

No family should be without Foley's Colic Cure, for all bowel complaints. Haydon and Robertson.

REMOVAL.

I have removed my place of business from Main street to part of the new building on Wall street, next to the Berry Hotel. I will keep nothing but the BEST and PUREST liquors, and ask a share of your patronage.

Respectfully,
JOHN F. GREENE.

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e Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. druggists refund the money if it to cure. 25c. For sale by Haydon ertson and Waters & Browne.
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Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. [illegible] easily and forever, be mag[illegible] of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-[illegible] wonder-worker, that makes weak men [illegible] Cure guaran[illegible] and sample free. Address [illegible] Co., Chicago or New York.

WE have the ACORN Stoves and Ranges and all the other good ones. Call and see our line. You must see our

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"Some Praise at Morning what they Blame at Night."

Especially is this the case with some Stoves. The ACORNS, however, are so perfect, that they never get out of order, morning, noon or night.

Coal Vases,
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BUILDER'S HARDWARE AND PUMPS.

Come and see us and we will treat you right. The Primus Oil Heater—The latest invention.

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# ABOUT TOWN.

SEVEN loaves of fresh bread for a quarter at Hertlein's bakery.

THE best selection of candies can be bought at Hertlein's. He keeps only the freshest and best.

FRESH boiled ham, fresh pies and cakes always on hand at Hertlein's. Nice rolls just from the oven.

GO TO J. Walter Brown for your coal in any quantity from a bushel to a car load. The lowest market price.

THOMPSON & LAKE handle coal, now is a good time to lay in your winters supply and they can give you bottom prices. Give them a trial.

OYSTERS served in any style and at all hours at Konrad Hertlein's. Fresh fish every Friday. Extra select oysters at 30 cents per quart.

THE to[illegible] authorities have been doing a good [illegible] in having all of the wells and cisterns about town cleaned out.

HON. L. C. WIL[illegible]S, who is one of the sound money Democratic orators will speak at the Courthouse here on Saturday afternoon next.

JOHN W. YERKES will speak tomorrow at [illegible]ham Springs. These will doubtless be a big crowd on hand.

TAKE a look at the big ad of McChord & Robertson on the first page and pick out some bargains.

ROUND trip tickets to Louisville on Oct. 22d good returning on 23d, also on 26th good returning on 27th at $1.20.

MANSFIELD & CLAYBROOKE are offering special prices on suits and overcoats. Give them a call and see their new stock.

WHARTON & TAPP the new livery firm announce in their advertisement this week that there are prepared to accommodate the public in livery outfits.

THE meetings at the Baptist church continue this week. Dr. Weaver preaches afternoon and evening, and his sermons are interesting. There have been several conversions.

EVERYONE desires to keep informed on Yukon, the Klondyke and Alaskan gold fields. Send 10c for large Compendium of vast information and big color map to Hamilton Pub. Co., Indianapolis, Ind. 6t

THERE will be the usual services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and night. Sunday-school at 10 o'clock a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; Young People's Society at 3 p. m., and preaching at 7 p. m.

THE ladies of Springfield and vicinity had quite a rare treat on last Saturday when they attended Mrs. Kate Williams' opening. Everyone united in pronouncing her line of millinery the prettiest ever shown in Springfield.

DON'T forget that Mansfield & Claybrooke at the yellow front store are receiving new goods daily and are prepared to offer bargains.

DR. HARRY M BARG, the optician, will be at the Thurman House on Monday and Tuesday next and will be glad to meet his friends and any who wish their eyes examined or glasses fitted. Remember he charges nothing for examination.

THE ladies of the Presbyterian Church have decided to postpone the County Court dinner which they had intended for next Monday and desire to thank the good people who had promised to contribute thereto and to say they may at some future time accept their kindness.

THE Louisville & Nashville will run a special cheap excursion from here on next Sunday to Louisville to give the people a chance to see Prof. Speedy dive from the bridge into the Ohio river. Round trip only one dollar.

BY all means you should visit the store of McChord & Robertson on Thursday, October 28th to see the tailor samples of full patters of the latest styles in Men's Suitings, Overcoatings and Trouserings. An expert cutter will be on hand to show you over 200 styles and take measures. Leave your measure whether you buy or not.

A GOOD sized crowd gathered at the Courthouse last Saturday to hear the joint debate between Jo A. Parker, the Populist, and Jas. G. Bailey, the Republican nominee for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Parker led off and spoke for about an hour, talking on the silver question and explaining the Populist platform at length. Mr. Parker thinks that his party has been given the "inky dink" all around by the Democrats, and was particularly severe on Shackelford, whom he says has been repeatedly invited to meet him on the stump, but that gentleman has never appeared, and in fact did seem to be appearing anywhere. Mr. Parker is an interesting speaker. He is well known in Washington county and will no doubt get a good many votes here.

Mr. Bailey is a forcible and attractive speaker, and also made a good impression. He spoke on the national questions at some length, and devoted considerable time to defending the Republican State administration. He too, expressed himself as being anxious to meet Shackleford. Both speakers roasted the Louisville Dispatch.

NEWS LEADER $1.00 a year.

REV. B. F. ATKINSON has been speading several days among the members of the congregation of the Methodist Church at Pleasant Run which was burned a several days ago. The good people are anxious to rebuild and will probably do so although the members are not as numerous and as strong financially as they once were. This church and its antecedents are of historic note among the Methodist people. In 1800 the pioneer Methodist preachers held a meeting at that place, when there were more than 100 conversions, and from that date there has been Methodist preaching kept up regularly. The place was known as Sandusky Station, and the church house stood on or near the ground where the fort stood. Pleasant Run is the mother of Methodism in Marion and Washington counties. Some of the most noted pioneer Methodist preachers have preached on the ground, such as Peter Cartwright, Bishop H. B. Barcum, Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh, Marcus Lindsey, Jonathan and Samper.

THE ballots for the county and town elections are now being prepared in the NEWS-LEADER office. The town election which is to be separate from the regular county elections brings out only one ticket for a Board of Trustees which is composed of all the old members viz: A. R. Shultz, H. P. Thompson, J. F. Greene, C. J. Haydon and J. R. Noe. W. H. Baker is a candidate for Police Judge without opposition and J. C. Ensor will oppose J. J. Grace for Town Marshal. The old Board of Trustees and Mr. Grace will appear on the ballot under the device of a star under the head "Water Works Party." There will be a Democratic column under which will appear the names of Baker and Ensor candidates for Judge and Marshal respectively. On the ballot the question of issuing bonds for water works purposes will be submitted and the proper place left for voters to signify their preference. It will take two-thirds of all the votes in the town to carry the proposition and a vote not cast will be counted as being against the bond issue.

As required by the statutes of Kentucky relating to elections, Secretary of State Finley has certified to County Clerk W. F. Booker the names and residences of persons certified to the Secretary of State to be voted for, by all the electors of Kentucky at the election to be held in Kentucky on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1897, for Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky. On the official ballots to be prepared by the Clerk for use in Washington will be printed the names of the candidates under devies as follows: First, the candidates of the Republican party under the log cabin; second, the candidates of the Democratic party under the device of the rooster; third, the candidates of the Peoples party under the device of the plow and hammer; fourth, the candidates of the National Democratic party under the device of Thomas Jefferson encircled with a wreath of hickory leaves; fifth the candidates of the Prohibition party under the device of a phoenix. The Appellate Clerk nominees are: Samuel J. Shackelford, Democrat, Owensboro; James B. Bailey, Republican, Salyersville; J. A. Parker; Populist, Louisville; James R. Hindman, National Democrat, Columbia; O. T. Wallace, Prohibitionist, Point Leavel. All of the candidates for county offices will go under the Democratic and Republican devices there being none for the county offices under the other tickets.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery says that last winter his winter his wife was attacked with la grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half a dozen bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs, and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Haydon & Robertson's.

## PERSONAL.

—Mr. Robt. Lisle, of Lebanon, was over Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Medley and Mrs. Chas. Haydon were in Lebanon Tuesday.

—Mr. John F. Greene is in Louisville attending the trotting meeting.

Mrs. Sue Will and James C. McElroy went to Louisville the first of the week

—Miss Rice Thurman has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Kate Wright, at West Point.

—Miss Lucy Lisle, of Lebanon, was the guest of Miss Mansfield the first of the week.

—Mrs. Jack Beam and Mrs. James Beam, of Nelson, spent the day here Monday.

—Miss Maranda Tucker, of Valley Hill, was a guest at J. G. Mansfield's this week.

—Miss Cora VanArsdale has returned home after [illegible] extended visit to relatives at Harrodsburg.

—Joe Mansfield, accompanied by two of his college friends, were over from Danville Sunday.

—Mrs. John [illegible]evil, of Lebanon, spent Saturday and Sunday last with the family of T. W. Simms, Jr.

—Mr. James H. Woodward, Republican nominee for Commonwealth's Attorney was in town Saturday last.

—Miss Lorena Stanfill, after a protracted visit to her sister, Mrs. J. T. C. Noe left for her home at Williamsburg last Saturday.

—Miss Stella McMakin, of Shelbyville, and Miss Mattie McMakin, of Bloomfield, were visiting Miss Lida Grundy the first of the week.

—Mr. Clifton Greene, one of Springfield's most popular young business men is to be married on Thursday, the 28th inst to Miss Mattie Minton of Marion county. The NEWS-LEADER extends congratulations in advance.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for testimonials. Address

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Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney diseases pronounced incurable, have been cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Many physicians use it. For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

Certainly you dont want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, sallow skin and loss of appetite. You have never tried DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these complaints or you would have been cured. They are small pills but great regulators. Waters & Browne.

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CANDY CATHARTIC
Cascarets
CURE CONSTIPATION
REGULATE THE LIVER

10¢ 25¢ 50¢ ALL DRUGGISTS

ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED to cure any case of constipation. Cascarets are the Ideal Laxative, never grip or gripe, but cause easy natural results. Sample and booklet free. Ad. STERLING REMEDY CO., Chicago, Montreal, Can., or New York.

This Is Important!

READ.

Thursday, October 28, 1897,

IS THE DATE!

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE to see over 200 styles in piece goods for making to order Men's Suits, Overcoats and Pants. A PRACTICAL CUTTER from the Globe Tailoring Company, of Cincinnati, will have on exhibition at our store on Thursday, October 28th, the largest line of Suitings, Overcoat and Pant patterns ever shown outside of a large city. Suits made to order from $14 00 to $40 00. Pants to order from $4 00 to $11. An expert will be there to take your measure. Come in and leave your measure with us whether you care to give your order at that time or some other day.

Don't miss seeing this display, even if you don't care to buy, as its seldom you have a chance to see such a display of samples in full patterns. DON'T FORGET THE DATE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28.

McChord & Robertson

TEACHERS WANTED!

Over 4,000 vacancies—several times as many vacancies as members. Must have more members. Several plans; two plans give free registration; one plan GUARANTEES positions. 10 cents pay for book, containing plans and a $500 love story of college days. No charge to employers for recommending teachers.

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Northern vacancies Chicago office, Southern vacancies Louisville office. One fee registers in both offices.

FIFTEEN YEARS

A Sufferer with Lame Back.

MR. A. GIBBS.

"Fredonia, N. Y., June 20, 1896.

Dr. M. M. FENNER, Dear Sir:

I most cheerfully recommend your Kidney and Backache Cure for what it has done for me. I have been a sufferer for fifteen years with lame back and kidney trouble. Sometimes my back has been so bad I could hardly straighten up for a month at a time. I would be taken with a stitch in the back that would last from two days to a month. The doctors could give me no relief. One physician said I had strained my back and there was no cure for it.

Two years ago I got six bottles of your Kidney and Backache Cure and one bottle of your Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic. Relief began at once, and continued uninterruptedly to a perfect cure."

☞For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

LOST—Sucking black mare mule seen at Mooresville Thursday morning last; about 14 hands high. Reward for information leading to its recovery.

F. J. SMOCK,
LITSEY, KY.

Running sores, indolent ulcers and similar troubles even though of many years standing may be cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great [illegible] Waters & Browne.

A Philadelphia Mrs. Malaprop.

There is a Mrs. Malaprop living up town, whose queer blunders in her everyday talk would fill a good sized volume, and most of them are funny enough to deserve publication. She was telling a neighbor the other day about a friend of hers who had bought a bicycle. "He went and bought the thing," said she, "for $15, and when he went out to ride it the first thing you know it fell apart. 'Why don't you go,' sez I to him, 'and get a good wheel and pay fer it on the European plan?'" Yesterday she went over to a neighbor's house for a recipe for mayonnaise dressing. She said: "How d'ye do, Mrs. Smith! I want to make chicken salad tonight, and I thought I'd get you to give me a recipe"—pronouncing it in two syllables—"for Moyamensing dressing." Last winter her house caught fire and was slightly damaged. To her friends she explained that the trouble was caused by a disinfected flue. On another occasion an accident occurred on the street opposite her house. She and her cronies were discussing the affair across the back fence. "I didn't know there was an accident at all till I heard the avalanche a-comin down the street ringin the bell." She also told Mrs. Smith one day that she had read in the paper that milk was a good 'specimen' [illegible]

Small precautions often prevent great mischiefs. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are very small pills in size, but are most effective in preventing the most serious forms of liver and stomach troubles. They cure constipation and headache and regulate the bowels. Waters & Browne.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE.

Lung Troubles and Consumption Can Be Cured.

An Eminent New York Chemist and Scientist Makes a Free Offer to Our Readers.

The distinguished New York chemist, T. A. Slocum, demonstrating his discovery of a reliable and absolute cure for consumption (Pulmonary Tuberculosis) and all bronchial, throat, lung and chest diseases, stubborn coughs, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh and all conditions of wasting away, will send THREE FREE BOTTLES (all different) of his new discoveries to any afflicted reader of the NEWS-LEADER writing for them.

His "New Scientific Treatment" has cured thousands permanently by its timely use, and he considers it a simple professional duty to suffering humanity to donate a trial of his infallible cure.

Science daily develops new wonders, and this great chemist, patiently experimenting for years, has produced results as beneficial to humanity as can be claimed by any modern genius. His assertion that lung troubles and consumption are curable in any climate is proven by "heartfelt letters of gratitude" filed in his American and European laboratories in thousands from those cured in all parts of the world.

Medical experts concede that bronchial, chest and lung troubles lead to consumption, which, uninterrupted, means speedy and certain death.

Simply write to T. A. Slocum, M. C., 98 Pine street, New York, giving post office and express address, and the free medicine will be promptly sent. Sufferers should take instant advantage of this generous proposition.

Please tell the Doctor that you saw his offer in the NEWS-LEADER.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or [illegible] Price 25 cents per box at Haydon & Robertson's Drug Store.

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*March 8, 1897.* Samuel Pitcher M.D.

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## AN ORDINANCE

### Enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Springfield, Ky.

WHEREAS, the town of Springfield, and the citizens thereof are not sufficiently supplied with water, by reason of which the health of the people of said town is endangered, and the town liable at any time to be destroyed by fire, and for the want of a water supply the rate of fire insurance so high that many persons cannot afford to insure, and

Whereas in order to procure a sufficient water supply for said town it will be necessary to incur an indebtedness, the payment of which cannot be met by the levy authorized by law, and

Whereas, it is determined that it will require an expenditure of Eight Thousand Dollars ($8,000) to procure a sufficient supply of water for said town estimated by the assessment next before the last, being $281,690, and there being no indebtedness against said town, it is therefore, by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Springfield, deemed necessary to incur said indebtedness of Eight Thousand Dollars, ($8,000) for said purpose, and to test the sence of the qualified electors of of said town of Springfield as to whether or not said indebtedness shall be incurred for said purpose, it is therefore ordained that an election by the qualified electors of said town of Springfield be held at the Courthouse in Springfield, Ky., between the hours of 7 a. m. and 4 p. m., on the Second day of November, 1897, (the regular election day) at which election there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said town the question whether or not the Trustees of said town shall, in the name of said town, incur an indebtedness of Eight Thousand Dollars, and issue and sell the bonds of said town at not less than par to raise said sum of Eight Thousand Dollars, the proceeds to be expended in procuring a sufficient supply of water for said town, said bonds to bear not exceeding 6 per cent. and payable semi-annually, and due twenty years after date with the right reserved to redeem any of said bonds five years after their issue, and to levy a tax each year on the property of said town sufficient to raise the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars per year, to pay the cost of collecting said tax, the interest on said indebtedness, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said indebtedness. For the purpose of said election the Chairman of the Board of Trustees will cause the proper official to procure proper ballots hereunder for use in said election.

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Board Town Trustees.
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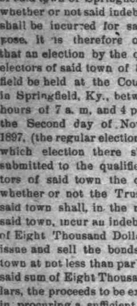

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# IS IT WATER WORKS?

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### AN OUTLINE OF THE PLANS.

As there seems to be some confusion and misunderstanding about the water works proposition now under consideration we will give below a brief explanation of the question as it relates especially to the tax feature as that seems to be the point that causes some of the doubting ones to worry.

The proposition to be submitted to the voters of the town of Springfield, on November 2, is, as to whether or not, the Trustees of the town shall be autherized to issue the bonds of the town to the amount of $8,000 bearing 6 per cent interest and payable in five to 20 years at the option of the town: the interest on these bonds and a sinking fund for the eventual payment of the bonds themselves to be raised by the levy and collection of a tax each year to the amount not exceeding the sum of $850. In no event, nor under any circumstances can the trustees levy a tax for this purpose that will raise exceeding $850. That amount is the very outside limit, under the law, by the proposition submitted. The present assessment of the town in round numbers, not including the railroad property, which will later be added, and not including the banks is $290,000.00. To raise $850.00 on the levy for each year will be a very small fraction oqer 29 cents on the $100 worth of taxable property.

The highest levy that can be made by the trustees of a town of this class, for all other purposes is 50 cents on the $100 worth of property, so that, no difference how foolish or extravagent the trustees might be our tax for all purposes could never exceed 79 cents on the $100 worth of property. The present levy for all purposes is 40 cents, with water works the necessity for at least half this levy would be done away with, and the levy for general purposes reduced to at least 20 cents, which added to the levy of 29 cents for water works, would make the total annual levy 49 cents, only 9 cents more than at present, so that the proposition really resolves itself into this: Would we rather pay 49 cents tax, and have water works, lights &c., and move along with the balance of the world, or pay 40 cents tax and have neither water, lights nor anything else that a progressive people demand?

But we hear the objection made that we will have a bonded debt on us that can never be paid. Let's see, we raise $850 a year by this levy of 29 cents. The interest on the $8,000 of bonds takes $480 per year, this from $850 leaves each year for the sinking fund $370, so that this gives us at the end of 20 years, when the bonds mature, the sum of $7,400, which lacks only $600 of paying the bonds off in full. This is upon the idea that this sinking fund of $370 per year will be allowed to remain idle and draw no interest. Upon the other hand however, if it is invested, each year, in some good interest bearing security, then at the end of about 15 years, we will, with a levy for that purpose of only 29 cents have raised sufficent money, not only to keep the interest paid up, but actually wipe out the bonds themselves.

These are the facts as we gather them as regards the issuing of bonds and the levying of the special tax which are the questions to be voted on. Several plans all of the same general nature and anyone of which is considered entirely feasible are under consideration for the raising of the full amount (20,000) necessary to put in a complete electric light and water works plant. The promoters of the enterprise are carefully considering the matter and nothing will be done rashly. It has been suggested that one or two public meetings be held at the Court House where the question can be discussed fully and at length so that the people may understand just what is proposed. The gentlemen who have interested themselves in this matter are citizens who have the best interest of the town at heart and are working for an enterprise which they honestly believe to be for the good of the town and the people and it is not their desire nor intention to force something on the taxpayers of the town that will not be entirely for the best. It is well to have an open discussion of the matter that every voter may act and vote intelligently when the time comes and we honestly believe that when the details of the plans are made known to all that there will be found few to oppose. A public meeting should be held and the matter thoroughly discussed.

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